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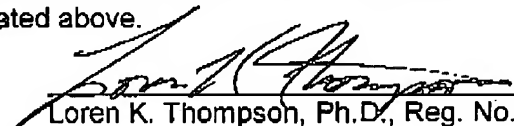
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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL UNDER 37 CFR 1.116

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The Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action dated **September 11, 2007** and having a shortened statutory period for reply set to expire on **December 11, 2007**. This amendment is considered to place the application in better condition for allowance.

Also enclosed is a **Request for Continued Examination** (requiring a fee of \$810, large entity) in which the Commissioner is authorized to charge the requisite fee of \$810 to Deposit Account No. 12-0400.

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No additional fee is believed to be required, but, if this is not the case, please charge any additional fee or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 12-0400.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.